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Sir:

## PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) and FILING OF FILE WRAPPER CONTINUATION APPLICATION

Applicant hereby petitions for a THREE MONTH extension of time for the filing of a response to the outstanding Office Action dated November 12, 1993 (Final Rejection). In lieu thereof, applicant, along with the Petition, hereby submits a File Wrapper Continuation Application.

Forwarded herewith is a check in the amount \$ 420.00 in payment of the extension fee.

Please charge any additional patent application processing fees and/or credit any overpayment to the Deposit Account of Cooper & Dunham, No. 03-3125.

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